

There comes a report from over the waters that Sarah Bernhardt will come to the United States this fall and play "Fedora" for which she will receive \$2,000 for each performance.

The striking telegraphers are still continuing their dastardly work of cutting the wires. If public sentiment should change so as to be against the strikers, they will be held responsible for the change.

It is claimed by one wing of the democratic party that the election of Randall to the speakership will demoralize the party and carry it to defeat next year. Whether Randall is speaker or not the party will go down to defeat in 1884.

The general passenger agent of the Chicago and Aton railway, is making himself a benefactor. He has issued a set of rules designed to curb the impetuous familiarity of the boys and young men who sell books and peanuts on the train of that road. Other passenger agents would do the public a valuable service by following the example of Mr. Charlton.

Even so enterprising a little city as Topeka, in so thrifty a state as Kansas, is financially on its back. It has a debt of only \$12,000, but no money, and the council refuses to borrow. The mayor, therefore, discharged all but three policemen, disbanded the firemen, and has ordered the electric light and the gas cut off. Topeka should do better than this.

From Poor's Manual for 1883 which is authority on all railway matters, we learn that there were 113,320 miles of railway in the country at the close of 1882, the increase during the year having been 11,591 miles. The total stock of the different companies at the close of their respective fiscal years was \$3,456,078,190, and their funded debts amounted to \$3,184,475,201—an increase of \$355,554,585 in the former and \$352,554,436 in the latter. The total of floating debts was \$255,170,962—an increase of \$12,404,596. The total increase in stock and liabilities, as compared with the previous year, was \$780,233,770, or about half as much as the interest-bearing debt of the United States. This increase was equal to \$67,312 for each mile of road constructed in 1882. The gross earnings of all the roads for their several fiscal years of 1882 were \$770,806,716, and their net earnings were \$310,682,877—the latter an increase of \$24,929,109 over the previous year, which was just about 3 per cent. of the increase in liabilities, and only about 7 per cent. on the increase in bonded indebtedness alone.

On Monday the Cincinnati Enquirer published a dispatch from its Washington correspondent stating that Mr. Frank Howe, son of the late postmaster general, had just returned from Wisconsin, and when the Enquirer's correspondent asked him about the presidential question in this state he said:

"I had a long talk with the governor. He discussed the political situation with great freedom. He did not like Arthur when the convention accepted him as a man to the detriment of me, but Governor Rankin has now great admiration for him. Said he: 'Arthur's course, since he succeeded Garfield, has compelled my admiration. He has been wise and considerate in dealing with affairs of state. He has truckled neither to stalwart nor half-bred, but he has preserved a medium course, which, while it may have offended some, has secured to him the respect of a great majority of the party. General Arthur will receive the support of the full delegation of Wisconsin in the next convention, and Wisconsin, from its position on the roll, will have great influence in the result. General Arthur, in my opinion, is the next nominee of the republican party.'"

This statement of Governor Rankin's touched the friends of ex-Governor Fairchild, and a representative of the State Journal called on the governor for an explanation. He said that no such an interview had ever taken place, and that in the alleged interview he was wholly misrepresented. While he was wholly pleased with the course of President Arthur and regards his administration an admirable one, he "has never expressed himself to the effect that the Wisconsin delegation in the next convention will favor his nomination, or that he favored him as his first choice, or that he would be the nominee of the republican party. On the contrary, the governor expresses himself decidedly in favor of Gen. Fairchild, and entertains no doubt but the delegation of Wisconsin will be a unit in favor of the nomination of that distinguished gentleman."

On Tuesday a number of citizens of Madison met to organize a committee to receive subscriptions for the pedestal of the great Bartholdi statue of liberty which will be erected at the entrance of the harbor of New York. The committee consists of Governor Rankin, Colonel Wm. F. Vilas, General Lucius Fairchild, Hon. Barr W. Jones, Hon. M. M. Jackson, Hon. J. C. Gregory, Hon. David Atwood, Hon. N. D. Van Slyke, Hon. E. W. Keyes, Gen. M. L. Bryant, Gen. Geo. E. Bryant, Mayor James Cougle, and L. S. Hanks, Esq. It will be remembered by the readers of the Gazette, that the people of France will present this statue of liberty—which is one of the wonders of the world—to the people of America. It cost \$250,000 and was made under the direction of M. Bartholdi, the eminent French sculptor. It is 150 feet high and represents the figure of liberty crowned with stars, and holding in her uplifted hand a torch which is to diffuse broad rays of light, which can be seen sixty miles at sea and will illuminate the entire statue. The statue will require a pedestal, and it is proposed that it shall be furnished by the people of the United States as the people of France furnished the imposing statue.

The pedestal will be nearly 150 feet high, which, with the statue of liberty, will make a monument 300 feet high, which will be higher than any of the colossal statues of antiquity. It will be a stupendous work of art, and will be one of the greatest wonders of the world. In due time the Madison committee will issue a circular to the people of Wisconsin regarding this important subject, and will ask for subscriptions toward building the great pedestal. Everyone should give something no matter whether it is one cent or one dollar, it is not the amount but the reciprocal spirit which is desired. France gave the statue—the greatest statue in all the world—and now let the people of America give the pedestal. There are men ready to give every dollar needed to raise the pedestal, but it has been thought best that the people of this country should emulate the spirit of the patriotic people of France, and build it by popular subscription.

## WALL STREET.

Another Day of Excitement Among the Dealers in Stocks and Bonds.

A Firm of Brokers Goes Under For a Handsome Amount.—The Indianapolis Banks.

New York, Aug. 15.—The opening of the stock market was regarded with a good deal of apprehension by everyone interested in it. The prevailing feeling was of extreme uncertainty as to the course of prices, but the general belief seemed to be that a lower range of values was inevitable. How much lower, and whether the market would recede first, and if so how much, were the problems, or rather enigmas, that brokers and speculators proposed to themselves as to each other. It was generally recognized that the powerful downward impetus imparted to the entire list on Saturday and Monday was so great that no ordinary manipulation or effort could successfully combat or overcome it.

The feverish closing Monday night was followed by a demoralized opening in the morning, the sellers exceeded the buyers by a vast majority, and the result was quickly shown on the quotations for the entire list. Oregon Transportation, which has led the decline at the most rapid pace, quickly sold down 4 points from the closing price of Monday night, to 56, making a total drop of 30 since a week ago yesterday. The unsettled feeling was aggregated and increased from the opening by the discovery that nearly every "ticker" in the street was useless, owing to the wholesale cutting of the wires of the Gold and Stock company's circuits. The rumors of impending disaster that have filled the air for several days, were revived and multiplied. Indications that something was wrong was apparent before the close of the first hour of business, and shortly after 11 o'clock the firm of George William Ballou & Co. announced their inability to meet contracts.

The first rap of the chairman's gavel calling the board to order preparatory to making the announcement caused immediate suspension of all business. The brokers were silent for a moment, and then they were compactly massed, silent and breathless, about the restraint. When Chairman Mitchell concluded the reading of the notice with the name of George William Ballou & Co., he was not greeted as on Monday, when he announced the failure of Cecil Ward & Co., with a chorus of prolonged "ahs." With a yell the dense crowd of several hundred scattered. In a moment they were back in groups about the floor, shouting themselves hoarse in their efforts to make transactions at any figure. They rushed out of the building by the score to their own offices, and to those of the broken firm. In a few minutes the notices to close transactions with the firm, under the rules of the exchange, began to pour in upon the chairman. With the reception of these orders came an almost universal surprise. The natural inference that a house that fails on a declining market is long of stocks was found to be incorrect in this case. The requests to buy for stocks for account of the broken firm exceeded those to sell by about two to one. The result was a sharp rally in the closing hour. The exchange was puzzled at this state of affairs. Of the 18,500 shares closed out under the rule, 12,400 were bought and 6,100 sold, indicating that the house was short twice the amount of the stocks it was long of. The leading question asked was how a concern in that position could collapse in a bear market. No estimates of the aggregate liabilities of the firm, in the exchange, were returned, either by the firm or on the street. In addition to the fragments under the rule, it is said by persons in a position to know that the firm settled up about twenty-five thousand shares privately. The official transactions show that the house was interested in the entire active list. In the afternoon the firm made an assignment to Theodore M. Novins, their cashier, Mr. William E. Bingham, the stock exchange member of the firm, said that their suspension was due to the gains given in the firm's vote to the board, the failure of customers, to respond to calls for more margins. The firm had, he continued, loaned a great deal of its capital to some of its principal customers for the purpose of the customers' speculation, and as the customers would not come to the front and the firm had drawn upon its credit resources as largely as it could in the circumstances, it had considered it the best policy to go into liquidation.

Mr. Bingham said that, so far as he could judge in the present confused state of the firm's affairs, its unsecured liabilities would amount to about \$200,000. The loans of the firm, he thought, would aggregate about \$1,000,000. These, however, are secured by pledge of collateral, and, of course, will take care of themselves. The firm, Mr. Bingham says, has a large amount of good assets, but they are not of a nature that can be readily realized upon.

The rally attendant upon the transactions of the Boston firm lasted until after midday, with considerable advances in the prices of most of the active stocks. The feeling, however, was very feverish, and every one was alert for more deed. Shortly after 2 o'clock a fierce drive was made at Western Union, accompanied by reports that large companies' houses would have to go. The price was knocked down nearly 4 points, to 72 1/2, and the rest of the market followed it. At the close it had recovered to 74.

Mr. Gould said, when asked for his opinion upon the market, that he was ready to buy stocks. The day's transactions aggregated 570,000 shares, and, though the closing price for many of the active stocks was higher than Monday night, no very confident feeling was inspired. The most that anyone worth quoting would venture to say was that in point of time the market is getting nearer the bed-rock upon which a bull market can be based.

Judging from the history of Wall street, the present movement has assumed such proportions as to indicate that it must exhaust itself before the stage can be reached. Wall

street does not "take" "disturbances" from such a shock as it has had in the last three or four days. Though prices may have been forced below intrinsic value, the street requires to recuperate before starting stocks upon the up-hill journey. In the events nothing could be discovered to indicate that the liquidation is complete in point of time.

## AT DOSTON.

Boston, Aug. 15.—There is a singular absence of financial excitement in Boston, and no signs of a panic can be seen. There was a sharp rally in stocks in the morning, with a flood of orders to buy at low prices, and the market was firmer up to the announcement of the Ballou failure, when it became weak. A reaction began to set in before the close. The first notice of this failure came about noon, and was as much of a surprise to the Boston firm as to the public generally. Mr. D. S. Darling, one of the partners, declared that he was perfectly astonished upon the receipt of the dispatch from Mr. Ballou announcing the assignment, and said that if he could have had an opportunity to confer with Ballou he should certainly have advised against the assignment, as he believed that it was unadvised. The Ballou failure was, he claimed, all right, but of course would not have to do with the New York firm. The firm last night had securities and cash representing fully \$1,000,000 surplus over and above all liabilities, and he could not understand how there was any necessity for a suspension.

## THE INDIANAPOLIS BANKS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 15.—John Landers, receiver of the Indiana Banking company, began an investigation of the banks, but has not proceeded far enough to arrive at any definite conclusion. It will probably be a week before even a proximate statement of assets and liabilities can be made public. The bank officials absolutely refuse to make any statements—a fact that causes much indignation among depositors. One of the current rumors is that there is only \$25,000 in cash on hand, that the remainder of the \$800,000 alleged assets consists of notes and mortgages on real estate. The fact that they had lost \$300,000 in First National stock, confirms the belief that the assets will not nearly pay off the liabilities, and many depositors express themselves that they would be very glad to be sure of getting 50 cents on the dollar.

There is no change in the condition of affairs at the First National, but the proposed syndicate have not yet effected the necessary loan, and rumors that the scheme was about to fall through have created considerable uneasiness here. Messrs. English, DePaul and Reynolds have been in consultation over the matter, but have not yet made public what their intentions are. In business circles there is a feeling of decided anxiety over the financial outlook. If the First National is not saved by the syndicate or otherwise, its suspension is almost certain to precipitate a panic. The other banks are extremely cautious and are quietly preparing themselves for what may come.

## FIELD SPORTS.

Turf Record at the Summer Meetings.—The Base Ball Boys.

MONMOUTH PARK, Aug. 15.—One mile; Aranza first; time, 1:42 1/2. August stakes, three-quarters of a mile; Issaquina first; time, 1:16 1/2. Mile and an eighth; Kinglike first; time, 1:58 1/2. Mile and a quarter; Glenside first; time, 2:13 1/2. One mile; Quaker first; time, 1:45. Handicap mile and a quarter; Blister first; time, 2:10 1/2.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 15.—First race, Kentucky stakes, 3/4 mile, won by Weller; time, 1:17 1/2. Second race, grand prize of Saratoga, handicap sweepstakes, for all ages, 1 1/2 miles, won by Mediator; time 3:04 1/2. Third race, 3/4 of a mile, for all ages, won by Force; time 1:16 1/2. Fourth race, handicap hurdle race, over four hurdles, won by Beaverwick; time 1:52 1/2.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 15.—First day of the August races. Class 2-21 won by George V. V. last time 2:21. Class 2-21 won by St. Cloud; best time, 2:21.

## BASE BALL.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The following is the record: Providence 6, New York 9; Boston 7, Philadelphia 10; Cleveland 6, Detroit 5; Chicago 17, Buffalo 18. Other games were: Grand Rapids 15, Bay City 8; Columbus 3, Harrisburg 3.

## THE McDONALD BOOM.

The Indiana Statesman and the Tilden Movement.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The Times has the following special from Washington: Ex-Senator McDonald, of Indiana, appeared in town quite suddenly. The object of his visit to the capital was a subject of much speculation among politicians. He had a conference with several trusted friends, who are managing his canvass, and it is leaked out that he has found a number of political friends along the route of his trusted followers. McDonald has not recently returned from New York, and it is understood that the object of his visit to the metropolis was to ascertain, by personal investigation, whether there is any danger from Tilden. He now knows as positively as any man can know that Tilden is crazy after the nomination. No stone is being left unturned to secure that end. McDonald has found a number of Grayston between Tilden and his trusted lieutenants, and the "Sage of Grayston Park" is putting his best foot forward to carry next year's convention. This discovery has filled Mr. McDonald with alarm, and he is doing his best to patch up broken places in fences.

## Soldiers' Gatherings.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 15.—Among the companies which arrived at Camp Morton are company C, first regiment, Lafayette; Miller grenadiers, Richmond; Knightstown light guards; Russellville light infantry; Lebanon rifles; Smith Continental cavalry, Evansville; Carman guards, Francisville; United States armed guards, and company E, first veteran regiment. The following United States army officers have been detailed for duty during the encampment: Lieut. Thompson, fifth infantry; Lieut. Palmer, twenty-fourth infantry; Lieut. Cochran, seventh infantry.

St. Joseph, Mich., Aug. 15.—Extensive preparations are being made for the comfort and entertainment of the soldiers who are expected to arrive here Aug. 22, 23, 24, 25. It is expected Gen. Bagle and other prominent persons will be in attendance.

DETROIT, Aug. 15.—The encampment of the state militia, which has been held for a week near Brighton is ended; the troops all left for home.

YONKESVILLE, Ill., Aug. 15.—The old settlers of this (Kendall) county, will hold their annual reunion and banquet picnic on the fair grounds here on Thursday, Aug. 16. A large attendance from this and adjoining counties is expected.

## A Clergyman's Testimony.

W. E. Gifford, pastor M. E. church, Bothwell, Ont., was for two years a sufferer with dyspepsia. It became an actual burden. Three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him, and he tells us in a recent letter that he considers it the best family medicine now before the country for dyspepsia and liver complaint.

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—you are weak, pallid and nervous. You cannot sleep at night, nor enjoy your waking hours; yet, why lose heart? Get at the druggist's a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters. They will restore you to health and peace of mind.

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## DAYTON SOLDIERS' HOME.

What Gen. Palmer Has to Say About the Recent Publication With Reference to Gen. Patrick.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 15.—There was considerable commotion among old soldiers in the city when they read a special dispatch from Dayton, Ohio, to the effect that Gen. Patrick, governor of the soldiers' home near that place, had drawn up in the last Saturday evening of the inmates, whom he denominated as criminals and scoundrels, and some of the able-bodied men, and notified them that if they were caught in the institution after the 15th they would be put out, giving them until that time to prepare to leave. The commotion was created from the statement that these men were all disabled men suffering from the effects of the war, some legless, others armless, and some blind. They have observed, however, that this city, was one of the board of managers of the four national soldiers' homes located at Togus, Me., Dayton, Ohio, Milwaukee, Wis., and Hampton, Va., visited his office and called his attention to the dispatch referred to. 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LOCAL MATTERS.

WANTED TO RENT.—A house and one or more acres of land, within thirty minutes walk of the postoffice. Apply at this office.

Bargains in parlors, at Archie Reid's. A few late style wicker parlors at Sanborn & Canniff's this week.

Big bargains in dollmats, at Archie Reid's.

Mathie McCullagh & Co., have a fine assortment of hand-embroidered linen collars, just received.

Sanborn & Canniff, the second hand furniture dealers, have on hand a large variety of cooking and heating stoves, both coal and wood burners, which they are selling at bottom prices.

More new Jersey's, at Mathie McCullagh & Co's.

Extra bargains in summer underwear, at Archie Reid's.

Great arrival of velvet and plush frames and fine art goods, at Sutherland's.

Black Jersey jackets, only \$2.50 at Archie Reid's.

Splendid silk plush and nickel-plated albums. It will pay to call and see them, at Sutherland's.

If you want to see the new styles and low prices in boots and shoes, go to John Monaghan, on Main street.

You can save money on machine oil by calling on Green & Rice, West Milwaukee street.

Shepherd's crocks, and something new in "bungs," at Mathie McCullagh & Co's.

Refrigerators and summer goods at cost, at Green & Rice's.

We will sell our line of lounges, easy chairs, rockers, parlor suits, and mattresses at cost until the 25th of August at the upholstery store of R. H. Morris opposite the opera house.

Wheelock's crockery store will give away creusable cooking crocks to all who buy \$2.00 worth or more, only to August 31st. Lots of new goods. Look at the bargain counter.

Thomas' Electric Oil, sold and warranted by Prentice & Evenson, druggists.

Go to Palmer & Stevens' drugstore for Humphrey's Homeopathic Specific.

Fire, life, hail and cyclone insurance at best rates in first-class companies at office of J. G. Saxe, also houses and lots for sale at prices from \$800 to \$8,000 and money to loan.

"Salicylic" for rheumatism, at Prentice & Evenson's, opposite postoffice.

Paris green, hellebore and insect powder, at Prentice & Evenson's drugstore.

Stearns & Baker still keep the lead on soda water.

Smokers can learn something to their advantage by calling at Kleinstreet's.

For your 50-cent and \$1.00 casset go to McKoy & Bro's.

The best cigars, wines, whiskies, and liquors of all kinds at Croft & Whiton's.

Nice line of gloves and laces to be found at McKoy & Bro's.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is sold by Prentice & Evenson, opposite the postoffice.

McKoy & Bro. are closing out their parrot stock at a big reduction.

Now is the time to have your upholstery done and mattresses re-picked and renovated, at very low prices, at R. H. Morris, opposite the opera house.

Smoke the "smacks" cigar.

Croft & Whiton keep fruit syrups for soda water also Saratoga water by the glass.

Entertainments.

—Comic opera. —Little Duke at the opera house to-night.

—There will be music in the air this evening.

—A bunch of keys have been left at the telephone office for an owner.

—The New York comic opera company have arrived and are registered at the Myers house.

—Street Commissioner Brown, with a force of men, is repairing North Bluff street, second ward.

—Mr. R. P. Young's family yesterday removed to Rockford, in which city they will make their home.

—The Bower City band will give an open air concert on the Corn Exchange square this evening.

—As we go to press the great ten mile race is in progress on the fair ground. A far sized audience is present.

—The Bower city band was out this afternoon, playing for the benefit of the managers of the races at the fair grounds.

—Messrs. Campbell & Stevens have sold the Mrs. Fors residence in third ward to Mr. S. Trulson, of the firm of Trulson & Peterson.

—The Napoleon gun, used here during the encampment of the first regiment, was taken to the depot last evening to be sent back to Madison.

—Those who predicted a snow storm just evening, were badly left, although the weather was very threatening, and the thermometer went down among the 40's.

—Nic. Moran is now in full possession of the Club saloon, on West Milwaukee street, and says he proposes to run the club in accordance with the law and order.

—The board of education have decided to place a new hard coal furnace in the basement of the high school building, and have asked for proposals to furnish the same.

—The session laws passed by the legislature last winter, have been received at the office of the register of deeds, for distribution to the various town and county officers.

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—Mr. Wm. Riley, of Johnston, yesterday received fifteen dollars, state and county bounty, for a full grown wolf's scalp. The wolf was caught in an ordinary steel rat trap, making the second one captured by Mr. Riley within a week. Thirty dollars bounty money for the two scalps.

—To-day, Judge Bennett, of the circuit court, was engaged trying a divorce case, Susan Oakley against George Oakley, the parties being from Beloit. The defendant is contesting the suit. Messrs. Wauwau & Kellers are the attorneys for the plaintiff, and A. A. Jackson for the defendant.

—Lieutenant J. B. Doe, Jr., of the Janesville Guards, has procured a handsome gold medal, consisting of an army musket and pendant, which he proposes to offer as a prize to the best drilled member of the Guards in the manual of arms. The medal is a handsome one and is well worth a contest to win.

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—Mrs. O. J. Dearborn, of Indianapolis, Ind., is in the city, calling on her old-time friends and acquaintances.

—The Rev. G. W. Wells, of Oakbrook, formerly pastor of the Jackson street M. E. church, is in the city and is heartily greeted by his many friends in the Bower City.

—Mr. A. F. Barrett, one of the most popular conductors on the Northwestern railway, running between Harvard and Elroy, was in the city this afternoon, and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

—The Misses Lina and Bertha Hawn, of Shelby, Ohio, who have been the guests of their cousins, Mrs. Charles Skelly and Mrs. W. C. Stevens, for the past four weeks, left yesterday afternoon for their Ohio home, well pleased with their visit.

—Mr. Frank E. Southard, an attorney residing in Evansville, but formerly belonging to the profession in the state of Maine, was licensed to practice before the courts of Wisconsin by our circuit court to-day.

—Yesterday a party consisting of Mrs. Ed. F. Welch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Conrad, Stanley B. Smith, and others, Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson, of Quincy, Illinois, went to Lake Koshkongong and spent a pleasant day at that favorite resort. They returned in the evening well satisfied with the day's enjoyment.

—Miss Lulu Marie Powers, of Keokuk, who was formerly a member of the Chicago church choir company, is in the city, and has consented to sing two solos this evening during the production of Little Duke at the opera house. Miss Powers is a soprano, and has a voice of great compass, and will favor the audience with something this evening that will be appreciated.

—The following young ladies and gentlemen spent the past week in our village indulging in boating, fishing, and picnicking: Misses Clara and Hattie May, of Fort Atkinson; Misses May Pond and Maud Craue, Janesville; Fred Colvin, Milwaukee; Will Pond, Ed. Mifield, Will Ashcraft, Janesville. These young people report an enjoyable time, and return thanks to the many friends in Albany for their courteous treatment. —Albany (Vt.) Journal.

—Mr. E. W. Coon, of the Wisconsin Tobacco Reporter, of Edgerton, and of the Oconomowoc Local, was in the city to-day. Mr. Coon owns both of these papers, and having made up his mind that his hands are too full, will sell the Local, which is an excellent paper. Oconomowoc is a thrifty town, and a practical printer who desires to buy good newspaper property on reasonable terms, should apply to Mr. Coon.

—Judge John R. Bennett will start for the Yellowstone park to-morrow morning. He will be accompanied by ex-Congressman Caswell and wife, and their oldest son and wife, Colonel George W. Bird and wife, General E. E. Bryant and Judge Bunn. They will start from St. Paul on Friday morning, and will probably reach the Yellowstone on the following Tuesday, where they will meet the presidential party. They will be gone nearly three weeks.

—Always Sure as Sunshine. On Tuesday, July 10th, the (153) drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery at New Orleans, drew G. T. Bourgeois, of La. and J. B. Early, of Va. (whose integrity and veracity are unassailable), had, as usual, the entire management, and announced over their own signatures the result. Ticket No. 37,348 drew the first capital prize—Lieut. Josiah Chance (a good name, by the way, to win), of the U. S. Army, at Fort A. Lincoln, Dak., drew \$30,000, two-fifths, at cost of \$2, and he was paid by the Brunswick Nat. Bank, Messrs. A. T. De Bann & Co., of Calgary, Ind., look after \$15,000, costing \$1; Messrs. Gus. Bette, of Cairo, Ill., and A. B. Gibson, of Carmi, Ill., another \$1 worth, or \$15,000. Ticket No. 93,297 drew the second prize of \$25,000, and one-fifth, or \$5,000, went to Theodore Voigt, 25 Avery st., Boston, Mass., another to J. T. Moore, of Brumby, Ky., through the Farmers' national bank, Danville, Va., and others in Toronto, Canada, Gainesville, Texas, and elsewhere. Ticket No. 4,763 drew the third prize of \$10,000, held by Mr. Chas. D. Thompson, of No. 22 East 14th st., N. Y. city. Any one applying to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La., can hear all about the honest workings of this institution, which gives \$1,000,000 to the Charity Hospital of New Orleans alone, and has distributed millions of dollars. The next (160th) drawing takes place Tuesday, Sept. 11.

—Evanston. —A very pleasant affair occurred at Mr. Clint Seefeldt's last Friday afternoon. About 100 guests assembled at his residence in the form of a joint picnic of two school districts, one known as the Emery district, the other as the Patterson district. Mr. Seefeldt living about half way between the two, his residence was a very appropriate place for them to join in a grand picnic; besides, Clint and his wife are two of the most jovial and good natured people living, doing all in their power to make it pleasant for all present. Quite a number of guests from this place, and a large number of guests and grown children, aside from the school children, were present. Ye editor received an invitation, but was unable to be present, although there is no place on earth we would have enjoyed attending better. We are informed that the exercises consisted of singing, recitations, and a spelling contest. The schools of Miss Jennie Lowery and Miss Jones, in which the prize was won by a handsome oil painting that will adorn the walls of her school room. A splendid supper was served, and all retired in the firm belief that they had enjoyed one of the best social gatherings of their lives. —Evanston Enterprise.

—"The Little Duke." The New York comic opera company will give a performance of "Little Duke" at Myers opera house this evening. This popular comic opera was written by the famous French writer Charles Lecocq and has been arranged for this company by Mr. A. S. Treloar. The plot is cast in the reign of Henry of Navarre, of France.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, August 15.—P. M. REPORTED FOR THE GAZETTE BY A. L. BROWN, REPRESENTING POOLE, KENT & CO. OF CHICAGO. OFFICE: ELKINS' BLOCK.

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	\$8.29	\$8.29 1/2
	\$8.30	\$8.32 1/2
		\$8.15
	\$	\$8.07 1/2
		\$12.12 1/2
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